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- I. (Internal Use Only JSW) Talked with Bob Michaels concerning arrangements for Wednesday's hearing. I indicated the timing factors which had been discussed with Mr. Mahon. I also discussed the matter of a sweep of the room. Michaels indicated the FBI, at Cannon's request, had done the room today. In view of the technical aspects of this, I inquired about at least permitting the Agency to monitor since we could not do a sweep on wednesday morning. This was a sufficiently important matter that we met briefly with Mr. Mahon to discuss it and he concurred in the monitoring which should be handled most carefully.
- 5. (Internal Use Only JSW) Talked with Chairman Vinson. The purpose of my talk was to discuss the recent articles concerning the Soviet economy which are attributed to the Agency and the briefing at the Agency of press representatives. I explained the background of this and Mr. McCone's current view (all as expressed by Mr. McCone to Senator Russell). Mr. Vinson agreed that this was the proper course for the Lirector to take. I spent an additional 45 minutes with Mr. Vinson since he appeared to want to ask a variety of questions ranging from Panama to Moviet intelligence. Mr. Vinson asked me to give his regard to the Director.

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